Bhe sufferers and cheering the rescuers. At one point His Majesty came
upon a man buried up to his waist in
debris. The King encouraged the unfortunate while the soldiers were digplag him out. In the midst of the efforts the man cried: "Sire, I can wait
for deliverance, but for God's sake
give me food and drink."
Meeting a group of photographors
engaged in taking pletures of the sad
scenes, the King chided them for their
secongation.
"You had much better turn your
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Improvised hospitals are constantly surrounded by multitudes of almost nude survivors begging bread, food supply depots have been established at other points in the ruins, and long lises of people, praying, imploring and cursing, are awaiting the rations that are being handed out as fast as they can be brought in. The soldiers are killing the stray dogs and cats that infest the ruins in large numbers, yelping from hunger and viciously attacking the injured and the rescuers allke. It is still raining to-day. The oder from decomposing bodies is becoming increasingly overpowering.

It is estimated 3,000 injured persons have been taken out from the ruins of this city. The deaths in Reggio are to-day placed at 20,000.

QUENCHING FIRES

TO CONSIDER RELIEF

Chicago's Hig Fund.
CHICAGO, January 1.—With \$40,000 already raised, Chicagoans who are working for the relief of the earth-quake sufferers in Italy are confident that by Sunday \$100,000 or more will be have been made available for the relief fund. A mass-meeting of business men is to be held to-morrow.

New York's Red Cross.

NEW YORK, January L.—The contributions of New Year's Day to the Italian relief fund received by the local branch of the Red Cross were reported to-night by Treasurer Jacob H. Schiff to have been \$15,740. Yesterday's contributions, through this channel, were \$57,974 and tose of the day previous \$2,115, making a grand total for the New York County Red Cross so far of \$75,829.

No Steps Taken.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 1.—
Admiral Pillsbury, chief of the Bureau
of Navigation, said to night that no
steps have yet been taken looking
toward rushing the battleship fleet to
the relief of the people of Southern
flaty. If added that the thest would
for reach Suez for three days, the next
point at wheir communication may be
had with it.

Assistant Secretary of State Bacon
stated to night that not decision has
been reached as 10 the amount of relief money which Congress would be
saked to appropriate when it reconvenes east Monday. This probably will

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take DANATIVE BROMO Quining Tablets. Delugists refind money if it fails to cure. 12. W. GROVE'S signal fails to cure it as each hax. We



Officials Think Return of Prosperity
Has Come to Stay.

CHICAGO, ILL., January 1.—Railroad officials generally will look back on the year 1908 as one of unusual depression in all things affecting the prosperity and general well-being of their line of industry. After the opening of the new fiscal year on July 1st last, however, a manifest improvement in the traffic situation began to develop. It has gone on continuously, until at the close of the calendar year a feeling of optimism pervades the situation.

On "The Eastern Question."

Leigh Street Baptist Church: The Rev. W. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 1A, M. and 8 P. M. The special characteristic contents of the close.

First Unitarian Church: The Rev. J. L. Robinson, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. D. T. R. English, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. D. T. R. English, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. W. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Centenary Methodist Church: The Rev. V. S. Dorset, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.

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THE WEATHER

Forceast: Virginia and North Carolina—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; rising temperature Sunday; moderate winds, mostly southwest,

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY,
Richmond's weather was clear and
cool. Thermometer at midnight, 34.

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	CONDITIONS IN	IMP	ORTAN	T OFFIES.
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ķ	Atlanta	. 46	50	Clear
ĝ	Buffalo	. 18	22	Rain
ĕ.	Chicago	. 24	24	Rain
ij	Cincinnati		32	Cloudy
ö	Davenport		20	Rain
3	Detroit		24	Rain
ij	Hutterns	. 38	44	Clear
e	Jacksonville		69	P. cloudy
	Kunsas City		38	Clear
	New Orleans		62	Clear
g	Oklahoma City		38	Rain
d	Pittsburg	. 24	28	Clear
놵	Raleigh	. 38	42	Clear
3	Norfolk	36	40	Clear
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First Authentic Photograph



MRS. CATHERINE BEISEL, ster to Mrs. Florence Ebb, both of whom are now on trial for the killing Captain J. Clayton Erb. Mrs. Belsel claims to have killed Captain Erb, to was one of Philadelphia's leading politicians, in defense of her sister's

Sunday Services in City Churches

Allen Avenue Christian Church: Rev. H. P. Atkins, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Morning subject, "Enrichment by Worship."

Marshall Street Christian Churchi Rev. B. H. Melton, pastor, will proach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. First Baptist Church! Rev. G. W. McDaniel, D. D., pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and Rev. Powhatan James 28 8 P. M.

Millonnial dawn services will be held in Smithdeal Hall at 3 P. M. Discourse by Mr. Charles Friend on "Christian Liberty."

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Salvation Army Hall: Holiness meeting at 10:30 A. M.; young people's praise meeting at 8:30 P. M.; New Year's praise meeting at 8 P. M. At Colored Y. M. C. A.
Colored Young Men's Christian Association: Mass-meeting in True Reformers' Hall at 3:80 P. M. for men and
women. Address by Rev. W. H. Stokes,
of Ebenszer Baptist Church.

ROOSEVELT WARNED.

Hazard Champions Daughter, Who Says
President Accosted Her in Anger.
WASHINGTON, D. C., January I.—
Carleton B. Hazard, a wealthy Virginian, who lives on a thirty-acre
suburban tract near Rock Creek Park,
where his young daughter takes daily
rides, has sent the following letter to
the President:
"Hon, Theodore Roosevelt:
"Sir,—My little daughter, Martha,

CAPPS A SURPRISE TO THE NAVY.

Appointment to Head Another Burens
Requires No Legislation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 1,—
When many of the officers of the Bureau of Steam Engineering of the Navy
Department to-day learned that by
order of the President, Roar-Admiral
Capps, chief constructor of the mavy,
had been made acting chief of their
bureau, they referred to a provision
in the Revised Statutes which they
had always regarded as preventing the
assignment of a staff officer as chief
of that bureau for more than one
month. They were somewhat mystified as to how this practical combination of the Bureaus of Construction
and of Steam Engineering could have
any degree of permanence under such
an arrangement.

They generally entertained the opinion that Secretary Newberry expected
to get legislation authorizing the consolidation of the two bureaus before
the end of the present session of Congress.

These officers were surprised to learn
that the section they had depended
upon to keep a line officer at the head
of their bureau made the restriction
in reference to staff officers in case
of a successor appointed to that chief
of the bureau only when such chief

to be on account of the War Department, which will approximate \$12,500,000. The civil and miscellaneous expenditures have increased about \$11,500,000, as compared with the corresponding period last year.

HIT THE BULL'S EYE.

President Roosevelt Getting in Shape
for Africa's Big Game.
WASHINGTON, January 1.—"After a
little practice, I am coming along
strong," President Rosevelt declared
to-day after he hit the bull's-eye at
fifty yards on the shooting range of
Surgeon-General Rixey's farm, near
Cherrydale, Va. hist access the

Ane time striking her horse with your crop, for passing you.

"Did you expect my little daughter to dismount upon meeting you? I cannot comprehend how a gentleman could accost young girls unprotected on a public road with fits of anger. As for my little girl, she shall take her rids as usual, and it she should be so unfortunate as to meet you again I feel confident that this communication from me will be sufficient to assure her safety hereafter.

"CARLETON B, HAZARD."

In forwarding this letter Mr, Hazard addressed it to Mr, Roosevelt as an individual and not as President of the United States.

MISS KATHLEEN PELHAM BURN.

BABY'S ITCHING WAS INTOLERABLE

Girl of Six Months had Fearful Attack of Eczema—Spread All Over Her Face and Eyes Began to Swell — Scratched Till Blood Came-Relieved in a Night and

CURED BY CUTICURA AFTER LONG SUFFERING

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Jealousy is ascribed as the motive. Mrs. Anderson was not in the house when the bomb was thrown, but her two daughters and a daughter of Mrs. Mary Lashway were thrown from their beds and badly cut by brcken glass.

FINDS SAVING SERUM AT LAST

NEW YORK, January 1.—Anxious to save the life of a patient who was

Have not coughed once all day?

Yet-you may cough tomorrow!
Better be prepared for it when it comes. Ask your doctor about keeping Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house. Then when the hard cold or cough first appears you have a doctors medicine at you have a doctor's medicine at hand. Your doctor's approval of its use will certainly set all doubt at rest. Do as he says. Lowell, Mails.

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OBITUARY

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DYNAMITED BANK

MUKKOGEE, OKLA, January 1.—Five robbers dynamited the bank at Wellston, Oklan, east of here, to-day, and after exchanging shots with the citizens escaped with \$5,000.

The robbers rode into Wellston after indingit. They erected a barbed wire barricade around the bank, and while some members of the gang went to work on the bank safe others stood guard.

The citizens were soon up in arms, and a lively exchange of shots with the robbers followed. The robbers, however, were well armed and protected, and for two hours they kept the townspeople at bay, while others of the robbers worked on-s the bank's vault. When they finally succeeded in gaining the money it contained the five man rode off, covering their departure with a constant and heavy fire.

EINDS SAVING CEDIM AT LAST

DEATHS

ASKEW.—Died, suddenly, at her resta dence, 317 North Fourth Street, this city, at 7:30 o'clock last night, Mrs CYNTHIA A. ASKEW, widow of John H. Askew. Funeral notice later.

COTTRELL.—Died, December 31st, at 3:15 P. M., at the residence of his parents No. 5 Deen Rim Street, Williams, J. W. Jard M. JR., youngest son of Willard M. and Matilda A. Cottrell, aged uline years.

Funeral from the Posidence THIS (Saturday) APTERNOON, January 2, 1309, at 2 o'clock. Interment in Oak wood Cenetery.

MORGAN.—Died at the residence of helmother, Mrs. Rate E. Morgan, 381, Second Street, Fulton, Thursday, at 136 F. M. EDITH B. MORGAN in the fitteenth year of her age.

Puncral from Presbylerian Church Pulton, SUNDAY, January 3d, at 2. P. M. Internment Onkyood. Prionds are invited to attend.

